



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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At its meeting held February 3, 2004, the Board took the following action:

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The following statement was entered into the record for Supervisor Knabe:

“Diseases of the heart are the nation’s leading cause of death, and stroke is the third leading cause of death. Cardiovascular diseases are the leading cause of death among women in California and Los Angeles County. One in five females in the United States has some form of cardiovascular disease.

“In recognizing February as American Heart month, Los Angeles County joins the American Heart Association (Association) in encouraging women to pay attention to their hearts and supports the Association’s new risk reduction campaign called ‘Go Red For Women.’”

Merritt Holloway addressed the Board.

After discussion, at the suggestion of Supervisor Knabe and on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Molina, unanimously carried, the Board proclaimed February 6, 2004 as "Wear Red for Women Day" throughout Los Angeles County; and encouraged all residents to wear red in recognition of family, friends and neighbors who have suffered from heart disease, and as a show of support to fight it.

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